

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE TERRITORY OF IOWA.

ROBERT LUCAS, GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE MILITIA OF SAID TERRITORY.

To Alax. Lewis Esquire, GREETING:

Know You, That by virtue of the power vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the United States, and reposing special trust and confidence in your courage, integrity, fidelity and good conduct, I have nominated, and by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council appointed you Captain & Comdr. of the Second Brigade, in the First Division of Militia of this Territory; (with rank from

And do hereby authorize you to discharge all and singular the duties and services appertaining to your said office, agreeably to law and such instructions as you shall from time to time receive from your superior officers; and to hold the said office, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, for and during the pleasure of the Governor of the said Territory for the time being, until the end of the next regular session of the Legislature thereof.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my name, and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the City of Burlington, the 2 day of July  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty — and in the sixty  
year of the Independence of the United States of America.

BY THE GOVERNOR'S COMMAND:

Wm. H. Van Antwerp Adjutant General.

*[Signature]*

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of the Iowa Militia  
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Subscribed and sworn  
July 28 1846

Wilmington & Clayton  
Ten Town - the 21<sup>st</sup> day of  
Nov<sup>r</sup> 1781  
Wm<sup>th</sup> & Thos<sup>th</sup> Smith  
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